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thioalkoxyamides as NPY5 receptor antagonists

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AB The title compds. [I; R1-R5 = H, halo, OH, etc.], useful to treat disorders such as obesity and bulimia that are mediated by NPY and especially those mediated by NPY via the Y5 receptor, were prepared and formulated. Thus, reaction of 2-mercapto-1-methylimidazole with N-biphenyl-2- chloroacetamide in the presence of K2CO3 in DMF afforded the title compound II which showed IC50 of 0.64  $\mu$ M against hNPY5.

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(preparation of  $\alpha\text{-alkoxy}$  and  $\alpha\text{-thioalkoxyamides}$  as NPY5 receptor antagonists)

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